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We Need a Dump

The solid waste problems in the Sandy-Hoodland area continue to grow. Now the county is preparing to run the Sandy dump only three days. We view this move by the county as the step before closing the dump site completely. Somehow the county and the citizens of this area must work

together to find a solution to the waste problems in this area before the Sandy site is closed. To put it mildly, the people of this area will not be happy with the commissioners if they close the Sandy dump and tell the people to travel to Oregon City dump.

A Complete Success

The July 4 celebration was a complete success and everyone who helped deserves congratulations. Over 5,000 persons attended the day long activities and enjoyed the half hour fireworks display which was the highlight of the program. Members of all civic organizations and all other individuals who helped out did a great job. Next year's

celebration will have a lot to live up to, to meet the success of this one. One group which stands out for their work is the Sandy Civic Services, Inc. This group coordinated the day and spent many hours during the recent months in preparing for the success of this event. We are looking forward to next year's July 4 celebration.

Cesar Chavez Comes To Town

And how did it look to you, Mr. and Mrs. Oregon, to see your governor with a gun at his head? That's exactly what happened last week when Cesar Chavez and Co. threatened the governor with undiluted blackmail. It all came about, of course, over a controversial farm labor bill, bitterly opposed by Chavez and friends and ultimately vetoed by the governor. In his first big foray into Oregon, Chavez threatened civil disobedience and a nationwide boycott against Oregon products if the bill became law.

This wasn't necessary, of course, since the governor did veto the bill. This, he said, was because some provisions were "almost certainly unconstitutional." Farm interests are now bitterly criticizing the governor for making that decision himself, instead of letting the courts decide what is and what is not constitutional. Whatever his rationale in vetoing the bill, the governor's decision gives the green light to Chavez to extend his iron-handed rule over Oregon agriculture. It isn't a pretty picture.



TWO HUNDRED vintage cars are expected for the old car parade in Sandy, July 28. The Portland group cars are from the Portland group of the Horseless Carriage

Club of America. The pre-1915 cars will be in Sandy between 10 a.m. and noon at Sandy High School. This automobile is a 1909 Maxwell.

Hoopsters take two

Sandy's summer basketball team took two wins in three games last week at Mt. Hood Community College. Sandy slipped by Marshall, 53-47, June 22. Coach Jim Kitchen employed nine players in the contest. Pat Sutton potted 16 points to pace Sandy and was followed in double figures by Ray Perkins with 12 points and Rick Zimmerman, 11 points. Dean Dickinson scored 8 points, Mike Leary made 4 and Ralph Peterson added 2 points. Six nights later Sandy tipped Madison for their fourth win against two losses. Zimmerman was the key figure in the 61-52 decision. He made 25 points and Dickinson added 13 to mark the only two players in double figures for Sandy. Leary and Sutton each contributed 7 points and Peterson made 5. Perkins logged 4 points. The following night, June 29, Sandy dropped a nip-and-tuck game to Hood River, 41-40. Zimmerman and Perkins scored 14 and 13 points, respectively. Leary added 8 points and Sutton scored 5. Al Nippert paced a 50-44 Sandy JV win over Gresham June 29. His shooting accounted for 15 points and Jeff Jackson

added 12 markers. Other JV scorers were Steve Aubin, 5; Dave Baylis, 4; Craig Zimmerman, 3; Gary Blount, 3; Dan Turin, 3; Mark Boughman, 2; Larry Dahms, 2; Gary Gynther, 1; Craig Lundy and Gary Buhler.

Haak in Marines
Navy Hospitalman Robert C. Haak Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Haak Sr. of Rt. 1, Boring, has completed the Reconnaissance Indoctrination Program while serving with the Third Reconnaissance Battalion, Third Marine Division on Okinawa.



THIS WAS part of the hungry crowd at a recent Sandy Kiwanis Fly-In breakfast at Rich's Airport. This year will be the 14th year the Kiwanis have sponsored the event. Note the old cars in the center of the picture.



KATHLEEN O'BRIEN smiles proudly and shows her third place trophy won at Oregon Newspaper Publishers Association recently. She entered the Best Feature Story category. Kathleen wrote for the Post until February of this year. For five years she wrote a column called "Making the Sandy Scene." She now works at Mt. Hood Community College and writes for Mountain magazine. (Post photo)

OSU names students on spring honor roll

Names of local students who made the scholastic honor roll spring term have been announced by Oregon State University. A total of 417 OSU students received perfect grades and another 1,856 qualified for the B plus or better honor roll. Gerard J. Bomotti, a sophomore from Boring, received a 4.0 in his major of science. Other Boring students on the honor roll were Douglas Reckmann, sophomore, humanities and social sciences; Betty K. Shively, sophomore, science and Frank M. Stefanek, graduate school. An Eagle Creek resident, Frank A. McCollum, sophomore, made the honor roll for forestry. Diane D. Saunders, a sophomore from Estacada, made the honor roll in education. Jean L. Lobb, Sandy, received a 4.0 in humanities and social sciences. She was a senior.

★ Letters to the Editor ★

To the Editor:
The Hoodland Planning Group was formed to protect the environmental resources of the Mt. Hood corridor area and to ensure that any necessary development occurs in the right place and in an orderly manner. Now the time of the original steering committee members is running out and an election will be held for new members. The Chamber of Commerce has appointed a nominating committee for these positions under the chairmanship of a real estate broker. Immediately we have here a strong conflict of interest. Planning and subsequent zoning place restrictions on the use and development of land. These restrictions affect the price of land. A parcel of land zoned for one dwelling unit per acre can not be sold for nearly as much as one on which condominiums or a motel can be built. There is a real danger that the Hoodland Planning Group will be taken over by people more interested in development than the conservation of the environmental resources of the area. Naturally land speculators and developers are very willing to serve on a group like this. They can thus protect and even further their business interests. This is not to say that they will all behave in this selfish way but the temptation is always there. This has happened to many city and county planning commissions and it is public apathy that has let it happen. Do not let the Hoodland Planning Group go the same way. There is no reason why one representative of the land development business should not be on the group but in no circumstance should the chairman of the group have a direct financial stake in the outcome of the planning study now about to get underway. I urge the people of Hoodland to elect a group that will work to protect the matchless environment of the area for the benefit of the whole community and not a group that will be tempted to put private gain above the overall public good. Sincerely, Martin Davis, Chairman Environmental Planning Committee

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Members of the Oregon Residential Tax Assn. will hold their next meeting July 8 at 7:30 p.m. in the PGE building, 3700 S.E. 17th. Initiative petitions on the recently-enacted country real estate tax will be available as well as services of a notary public to sign completed petitions.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:
Hats off to Laura Kirkwood! This courageous teenager had the (pardon the expression) "guts" to say what her elders should have been saying a long time ago. The school board and the administration of Sandy High had better open their ears and listen to her. I have said for years that the people are not voting against the schools and our children—it is against the horrible waste and resulting high taxes. There has been a lot wrong with this school for 15 years, that I know of; ever since my children attended school here. I have been amazed that the same lax administration has gone on, and on, and on. As I have talked to older people here in Sandy about this situation, their answer is usually "we have tried and can't get any co-operation"; or they shrug their shoulders and say: "What good would it do?" People are too afraid of stepping on someone's toes, or endangering their own jobs, or just plain indifferent. Well, I'm not; in fact I have been hopping mad for years over all the waste that goes on and my hard-earned dollars have to go to pay for it. Wake up everyone! Stop the waste, fire the leeches, and run a taut ship, and no doubt your budget will pass with flying colors. Laura Kirkwood, I don't know you, but I would be proud to have the honor. In my sight you are ten feet tall. Come to think of it, you should be on the school board! Sincerely, Mrs. Beulah Gaulke, Box 42 Sandy

they continue to have votes on it! If the results don't go their way, can't they see that means the voters plainly don't want it; do they have to drag it out three times? My parents are paying enough taxes, without putting out more. Well, what about the need for it? I am a junior in High School and can see things at first hand. It seems teachers want more and more equipment etc. and they may well need it, but do the kids deserve it? Everything has been handed out to us on a golden platter since we were knee high to a grasshopper. (By us I mean exactly that, I am not talking about the rich, I'm talking about the everyday average family.) We've always had schools, teachers, sports and equipment. Only a few of us have had to work for things at school, the others reap the benefits without appreciating the efforts that go into it. We've never known what it is to want, to go without, to make due. I mean REALLY make due—skippy rooms, a very few books, no cafeteria, no buses, no woodshop, no metalshop, no home economics. And because of that it's hard to appreciate what we've got. We expect a "free" education. We don't value it. Look at all the drop-outs, look at students who get a thrill out of destroying the school: carving on desks; clogging fountains with gum; having the girls room be the place to learn new

bad words, all you have to do is read the wall; throwing paper all over halls; being careless with machines; stealing things. It seems to me all proposed budgets should be defeated. The students can be the ones who have to suffer a little—let me tell you if they had to work for their education—they'll enjoy it a lot more. And talk about hypocrisy. They fired a teacher last year because he didn't believe in God and made no bones about it, yet they let biology teach the "Theory of Evolution," never presenting the side proving the Bible. So what's the difference? Give us a chance to want a little. Sincerely, Joyce Boston, Box 16-A, Brightwood

Sandy crime

There hasn't been much activity on the crime scene the past two weeks in Sandy, reported Police Chief Fred Punzel. The July 4 celebration in Sandy went smoothly, he said. Chief Punzel estimated more than 5,000 people watched the activities and no trouble was reported. "It's amazing to have a record like that," he said.

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